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"COME OFF THE FENCE."

Some Lessons We Learned From  
South Africa.

Home affairs supply material for a  
breviary letter from an officer on one  
of the ships in the Dardanelles. He  
writes to a brother in London:—

"We have been doing all sorts of things  
since we came here—mine-sweeping,  
patrolling, and mine-laying, the latter  
much the most hazardous; in fact, we had  
a lucky and miraculous escape once or  
twice. Then we do a bit of bombing.  
The troops have done great work, so have  
the smaller ships and some of the larger;  
but the accounts in the papers are rather  
misleading. For one thing, the "Big  
Lizzie" is a bit overstated; or, rather,  
her reputation overshadows other ships  
that have done grand work. The sooner  
people at home realize that they can't sit  
on the fence and sing 'Rule Britannia'  
and 'The Boys of the Bulldog Breed'  
the better. We're up against a big thing,  
but nothing short of a German army in  
London would wake some of them up to a  
sense of their duty. Then the questions  
of aliens and munitions. We ought to  
have had a lesson from South Africa.  
That was only a flea-bite to this, but it  
was enough for us at the time, and we added the "Recessional" to the  
hymn-book and sang it with gusto; but  
did we forget? I rather think so. God  
grant we remember now and in the  
future. The end of the war may come  
soon, but centuries will never wipe out  
the German's disgrace. We require no  
Hymn of Hate, and the poet isn't born  
who could adequately write one; but  
there's something singing inside us, and  
it is could only find words and music  
fitting it would make the Huns turn  
pale."

THE GUNS OF FLANDERS.

On still nights, said Mr. Lloyd George at the Elstree last month, it is possible to hear the guns in Flanders from his Surrey cottage at Walton Heath. A correspondent writes to say that at Southend, too, the cannon may be heard like far-off thunder on quiet nights when there is no wind, or only a wind blowing landwards. Water, it is well known, is a wonderful sound conductor; naval battles can be heard at sea from very far off. It was reported in "The Daily Mail" in January that an artillery duel in Alsace was heard in St. Gall, Switzerland, a hundred miles away. A similar phenomenon was observed in 1870, when firing in Alsace-Lorraine was heard in the heart of the Alps. The guns on the Continent were heard in England was first told some months ago in "The Daily Mail." In this instance they were heard at Broadstairs. The distance from Southend to Dunkirk is eighty miles, from Broadstairs to Dunkirk only forty-five miles.

Savings bank deposits in India were 241 crore when it was broken out and about one-fourth of these were withdrawn in August and September. Then came a lull, and the public's confidence was restored and the amount taken out eventually had more than one-third. From the last of the new year deposits were again broken out and the average in the sum deposited has since been ten lakhs.

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TOTAL FUNDS AT SIXTY DECEMBER, 1915.

£23,632,184.

I—Authorized Capital £5,000,000

Subscribed Capital £4,500,000

Paid-up Capital £2,437,500

II—Fire Funds 5,806,114

III—Life & Annuity Funds 16,132,160

Staking Fund Account 53,513

£22,561,268

Revenue Fire Branch 2,567,158

Life and Annuity 1,973,259

Branches 2,121

Revenue Marine Department 262,693

Other Receipts 430,193

£5,233,315

The accumulative funds of the various  
Branches are separately invested, and, by  
Act of Parliament, are set aside to meet  
the claims under the respective Depart-  
ments of the Company's Business.

By Order,

E. DES VŒUX

Secretary

Hongkong, Sept. 20, 1915.

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WHO'S WHO IN JAPAN

EDITED AND PUBLISHED BY S. KURITA

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAY.

7.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

10.10 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

3.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

NIGHT CARS.

8.30 p.m. and 9 p.m. 9.30 p.m. to 11.00 p.m. every half hour.

11.00 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. every quarter of an hour.

SUNDAY.

7.45 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.

11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

3.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

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spirits exist still. We call them "Disease  
Ghosts," and they also must be cast out. Once  
lodged in the stomach or intestines, fever with  
its hallucinations, or biliousness with its aches  
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FRUIT SALTis the approved remedy for driving out disease  
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clears the intestines, rouses the torpid liver to new  
life, stimulates the mucous membrane to a healthy  
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THE NATIONAL LOAN OF THE  
FOURTH YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC  
OF CHINA.TWENTY-FOUR MILLION DOLLARS  
(824,000,00.)SUBSCRIBERS to the above LOAN are  
hereby notified that in accordance  
with Article V of the Loan Regulations  
the full amount of DOLLARS ONE MILLION  
Four Hundred and Forty Thousand  
(\$1,440,000), being the amount of interest  
on the loan for one year, has been  
paid by the Ministry of Finance and has  
been deposited by the Undersecretary of the  
Bank win Banks, namely, the Bank of  
China and the Bank of Communications  
as permanent guarantee for the interest  
or the loan.F. A. AGLEN,  
Inspector General of Customs,  
and Vice-Chairman of the Bureau of  
National Loans.Inspectorate General of Customs,  
Peking, 11th Sept., 1912.

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LICENCE UNDER KING'S REGU-  
LATIONS NO. 19 OF 1915.WHEREAS under the provisions of the  
King's Regulations No. 19 of 1915  
prohibiting trading with the enemy all  
persons subject to the jurisdiction of His  
Majesty's Supreme Court for China were  
prohibited from doing certain things even  
for as far as licenses might be issued  
to do AND WHEREAS in paragraph XI of the aforesaid King's  
Regulations it is provided that nothing in  
such Regulations shall be taken to prohibit  
anything which shall be expressly permitted  
by the King's own or by the licence  
given on his behalf by a Secretary of State  
on the like behalf by His Majesty's  
Minister in China whether such licence be  
granted to individuals or be  
extended to classes of persons NOW  
HEREFORE I His Britannic Majesty's  
Minister in China hereby announce that all  
British subjects, firms or corporations  
are permitted to do with the  
persons or bodies of persons of Ottoman  
nationality residing in China, doing business in  
China, namely, -Jacques, and business Import  
and Export Merchant, B. S. Somach, Import  
and Export Merchant, S. S. Somach, Import  
and Export Merchant, D. G. Somach, Import  
and Export Merchant, S. Z. and E. Z. Shahmoori, Import and Export Merchant, J. H. Joseph, Member of the Shanghai  
Stock Exchange and Import Merchant, Ellis Joseph, Director of Joseph Brothers, A. E. Coda, Paul Merchant and Director  
of Bachs and Company, and S. J. Levy,  
Shanghai Brothers Association and former  
Director of S. J. David and Company, J. A. Fredericks, Shanghai Share  
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formerly in the employ of Messrs. E. D. Smith and Company, A. J. Sudka,  
M. J. Nathan, ShareBroker and Comission  
Agent and Member of Shanghai Share  
Brokers Association, M. Meyer, Share  
Broker and Comission Agent and P. E. E. Ezra, Secretary of the British Territorial  
Development of China, Limited, all of  
Shanghai, and J. S. Spence, and in the  
firm of Spence and Rosenthal of Tianan,  
and with any other persons or bodies of  
persons of Ottoman nationality residing  
and doing business in China whose names  
may hereafter from time to time be  
published at the Public Office of His  
Britannic Majesty's Consulates in China  
and all such persons or bodies of persons  
shall not be considered as coming within  
the definition of the word "enemy" as given  
in the said King's Regulations No. 19 of  
1915.(S.) J. N. JORDAN,  
His Britannic Majesty's Minister.

1915.

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SECOND AMENDMENT ORDINANCE  
1915.No. 416.—It is hereby notified that His  
Excellency the Governor has been  
pleased to appoint the Colonial Treasurer  
to act as CUSTODIAN OF ENEMY  
PROPERTY, for the purpose of receiving,  
holding, preserving and dealing with such  
property as may be paid to or vested in  
him in pursuance of the Trading with the  
Enemy Second Amendment Ordinance  
1915.

Hongkong, Sept. 15, 1915. 818

G. & J. LTD.  
TRADING WITH THE ENEMY  
SECOND AMENDMENT ORDINANCE  
1915.PARTICLES REQUIRED BY THE CUSTODIAN  
WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED  
BY THE GOVERNOR.No. 418.—All persons whose duty it is  
under this Ordinance to notify the  
Custodian of property held or managed by  
them or behalf of executors are required to  
send in list of such property to the  
Treasury in duplicate. Such lists should  
show the name, the present residence, if  
known, or supposed, present residence, of  
the executors on whose behalf the property  
is held or managed. A separate list (in  
duplicate) should be sent in respect of each  
class of property, e.g., deposits on current  
account, fixed deposits, bills, stocks, share  
scrip, produce, etc., etc. In respect of  
each class of property separate lists must  
be made of property over which the holder  
or manager has a lien.In the case of payments under section 4  
of the Ordinance the particulars required  
are—The names and present residence  
of the persons, firms or  
companies to whom the dividends, interest  
or share of profits would otherwise be  
payable, the date at which such dividends  
or interest are due and payable, and  
the amount and description of the  
shares, bonds, etc., over which such  
dividends and interest accrue. Separate  
lists of particulars (in duplicate) should be  
sent in of dividends, interest and shares of  
profits, respectively.Payments may be made by forwarding  
to the Treasury cheques in favour of the  
"CUSTODIAN OF ENEMY PRO-  
PERTY" or by sending a bank receipt  
for money paid to the credit of the  
Custodian's account at the Hongkong and  
Shanghai Banking Corporation. Further  
information may be obtained during the  
usual hours at the Treasury.A. M. THOMSON,  
Colonial Treasurer,  
Custodian of Enemy Property.

Hongkong, Sept. 15, 1915. 819

THE  
HONGKONG POLICE  
RESERVE

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S A T U R D A Y,

SEPTEMBER 25th, 1915 at 9.0 P.M.  
Entrance only by Main Gate,  
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Police Forces in uniform are invited as  
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go to the Band and Orchestra of the  
H.E.P.R.

Hongkong, Sept. 22, 1915. 827

## AUSTRALIAN POLITICS.

## Partisan Controversy.

The Times expresses concern about the  
long of the debates in the Commonwealth  
Parliament, and about the violent partisanship  
controversy at the time when such matters  
should be allowed to rest. "Undoubtedly,"  
it adds, "if the Labour proposals be  
voted, Australia will be plunged into a  
violent contest, and the stream of abuse,  
recrimination, which has already flooded the  
House, will over-flow the walls of Australia while its citizens are  
fighting for freedom under an alien sky." The  
controversy may not seem as strange to us as it  
does to the Australian, but as it does to us, it is  
worth while.

## DAIRY FARM NEWS.

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# EXTRA TO THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1915.

## HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, V.D.

### JOINED.

The under-mentioned, having joined the Corps, and are posted as follows:—

Private E. A. Beaumont to Scouts Co. (No. 3 Section).

Sapper E. M. Sleigh to Engineer Company.

### LEAVE.

Private A. D. Ball is granted leave of absence from 23.9.15 to 13.10.15.

### PROMOTIONS.

Corporal J. Lennox, Engineer Company, to be Sergeant (Supernumerary).

Corporal C. A. Middleton-Smith, Engineer Company, to be Sergeant (Supernumerary).

Sapper H. H. Wilson (late Sergeant, Singapore Vol. R.E.), Engineer Company, to be Sergeant (Supernumerary), dated 23.9.15.

### SIGNALLERS' CAMP ON LANTAU.

The following non-coms. and men of the Signalling Section will parade under Sergt.-Major Blair at Statue Pier to-morrow, Saturday, 25th inst., at 2.30 p.m., and proceed by launch to Lantau for Station work, returning on Sunday evening:—Sergt. Silas, Corp. Lawrence, Lc.-Corps. Reis and Rocha, Ptes. Chaves, Young, Jacobs, Hurle, Santos, Reis, Luz and Hill (attached). Uniform to be worn. Haversacks and waterbottles to be carried.

### PRINCESS MARY'S CHRISTMAS GIFT.

Members of the Corps entitled to this and who were not on parade on 14th inst., when the distribution took place, may obtain their gifts on application at Headquarters during the time the Store is open, viz. 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. on weekdays, and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays.

### PARADES.

Parades for Saturday, 26th inst., nil.

### DETAIL.

Gum-Club Hill, Kowloon:—

On duty until morning of 26th inst. H.K.V.R.

On duty 26th inst., to 3rd prox.: No. 2 Section Artillery Battery. Officer on duty: Lieut. Danby.

Detention Camp, Kowloon:—

On duty until morning of 26th inst. H.K.V.R.

On duty 26th instant: Scouts Company. Officer on duty: Capt. Stewart.

### NOTE.

Caps, instead of helmets, may be worn by guards and pickets at the Detention Camp and Gum-Club Hill, provided that all the members of each guard and picket are dressed alike.

The launch "Sui Fung," which was accidentally sunk in the harbour, is being towed by two lighters to Tai-koo. She is still under water. The inquiry will probably be held in a few days' time.

## ALLEGED THEFT OF ELECTRICITY.

Won Kwan, trading as Kwai Kwong at 12 Elgin Street, was charged before Mr. Lindsell at the Magistracy this afternoon with having, at 34 Hollywood Road, between August 3 and September 3, diverted and consumed electricity of the Hongkong Electric Company, Ltd., to the approximate value of \$10.

Mr. Preston prosecuted Mr. A. H. Crew appearing for the defendant.

Mr. Crew said his Worship had acceded to the request for a new hearing, and he took it the case would be heard absolutely *de novo*.

Mr. Lindsell said he did not think that course was necessary. Mr. Crew could put certain witnesses in the box and ask any questions.

Mr. Crew said he was prepared to admit that certain additions were made which were not reported, but he pleaded not guilty to the charge of stealing current.

Mr. V. Sorby, Maina Superintendent, gave evidence on the method of fixing wires and meters. The meter would never register from the installation. There was nothing connected with the meter except the new installation. There was no attempt at concealment. The meter-man went along and heard a fan going, and seeing that the meter was not registering anything, made inquiries.

Mr. Preston.—Mr. Crew has made rather a point about it being impossible to defraud the company under the new system of wiring, but this is the old system.

Mr. Crew said the prosecution had to prove that the work was done maliciously or fraudulently. He was prepared to prove that the firm of which defendant was a member were paid \$1 for this work. The person by whom the work was done had very little experience and thought he could do the wiring anywhere. He never thought he was doing anything improper. The prosecution made no accusation against the tenant, and there only remained the defendant. What his motives could have been for stealing electricity for the benefit of someone else's pocket he did not know. The wiring was done quite openly. If any collusion was alleged between the defendant and the tenant the latter ought to be charged with conspiracy. Defendant in the box, said a folk of his did the work.

The case was remanded till Thursday for an inspection of the premises.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction.

**TUESDAY,**  
the 28th September, 1915, commencing  
at 11 a.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8  
Des Voeux Road, Corner  
of Ice House Street.—

A QUANTITY OF  
VALUABLE TEAKWOOD  
FURNITURE,  
CARPETS, CURTAINS,  
etc., &c., &c.

As follows:—

One Tapestry-covered Drawing Room  
Suite, Bedrooms Furniture, Upholstered  
Arm-chairs and Sofas, Three Brass Bed-  
steads, Side-boards, Dinner Wagons,  
Extension Dining Tables and Chairs, etc.,  
etc., Dinner, Tea and Coffee Services,  
Crockery, Glass and E.P. Ware, Cooking  
Stove, Cutlery, Brass Fenders, etc.

Three Fiancés, Electric Reading Lamps  
and One large 4-Fold Blackwood Screen,  
Blackwood Furniture, &c., One Large  
Blackwood Wardrobe and Phrenometric  
Tyred Rucksack.

(Full Particulars from Catalogue.)

TERMS:—As usual.

**HUGHES & HOUGH,**  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1915. 823

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,  
(See ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED).

**WEDNESDAY,**  
the 29th September, 1915, at 11 a.m.,  
at No. 1, Torres Building,  
Kimberley Road, Kowloon.

THE  
VALUABLE  
HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE,  
thereto contained.

Comprising:—  
Handsome Bedroom Suite (Famed teak),  
large Extension Dining Table, Chairs,  
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Colours, Plaques, Lace Curtains, Rugs,  
etc., Brass Fenders, and Fire Brasses,  
Pantry and Kitchen Utensils including  
Enamelled Bath, &c.

Also  
Trade Sewing Machine, Sunblinds,  
Electric Fittings, Plants in Pots, &c., &c.  
(Full Particulars from Catalogue.)

On view from Tuesday 2 p.m.

TERMS:—As usual.

**HUGHES & HOUGH,**  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, Sept. 21, 1915. 821

AGENTS.

LONDON:—WILLIAM SLATER, 42 Great  
Russell Street; W.C. F. ALICE, 11 &  
12 Clement's Lane, Lombard Street,  
E.C.; T. B. BROWNE & Co., Ltd.,  
163 Queen's Rd., Victoria St.,  
CLARKE SON & PIATT, 50 Grace  
church, E.C.; G. STREET & Co., Ltd.,  
30 Cornhill; GORDON & GORC, 15 St.  
BRIDE St.; E.C.; ROBERT WATSON, 160  
Fleet St.; E.C.; M. MICHENER & Co.,  
Hill, Hobson Street; E.C.; D.  
KETTLE & Co., 10, Whitefriars St.,  
E.C.; M. H. & C. CROWTHER, Ltd., 10,  
11, 12, Newgate St., E.C.

SCOTLAND:—FRED. L. SIMON, 8 North  
St. David Street, Edinburgh.

PARIS AND EUR. PE. MAUREY FRENCH  
& Co., 18 Rue de la Grange, Batte  
Paris.

NEW YORK:—T. B. BROWNE, Ltd.,  
Eolian Hall, West 42nd Street, New  
York City.

THE CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52  
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cisco.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Ad-  
elaide and Sydney.

CEYLON.—W. M. SMITH & Co., The  
APOTHECARY CO., Colombo.

SINGAPORE, S. BRAITS, &c.—KELLY  
& WALE, Ltd., Singapore.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS:—A. S. WAT-  
SON & Co., Manila.

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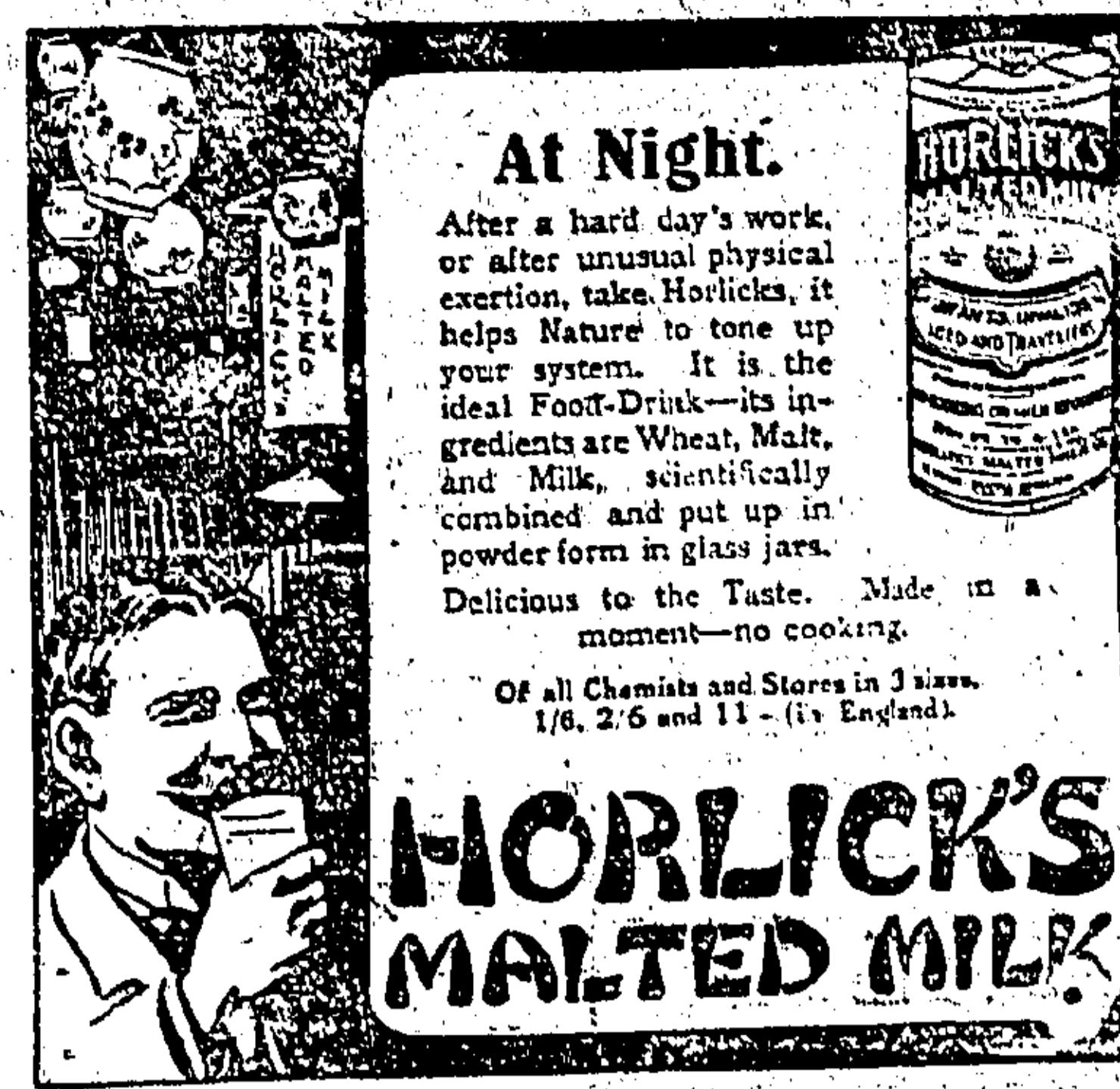
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Kobe and Yokohama.

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"OUR LADY OF THE  
TRENCHES."

LIFE BELOW GROUND AT THE  
FRONT.

Damp Excursion to a Mine Crater.

We were sitting in the garden of the General's headquarters, having a picnic meal before going into the trenches. In spite of the wasps, which attacked the sandwiches, there was a nice quiet place in the shade of the enemy's guns, and the loudest noise was the drop of an over-ripe apple in the orchard. Later on a shrill whistle signalled a hostile aeroplane overhead, but it passed without throwing a bomb.

"You will have a moist time in some of the trenches," said the General. "The rain has made them rather damp." But you must get down as fast as the mine craters. We're expecting the Germans to fire at us at any moment, and some of our trenches are only six yards away from the enemy. It's an interesting place.

The interest of it seemed to me, wrote a "Daily Chronicle" correspondent, almost too much of a good thing. Between two bites of a sandwich I uttered a pious prayer that the enemy would not explode his beauty mine under me. It makes such a bang.

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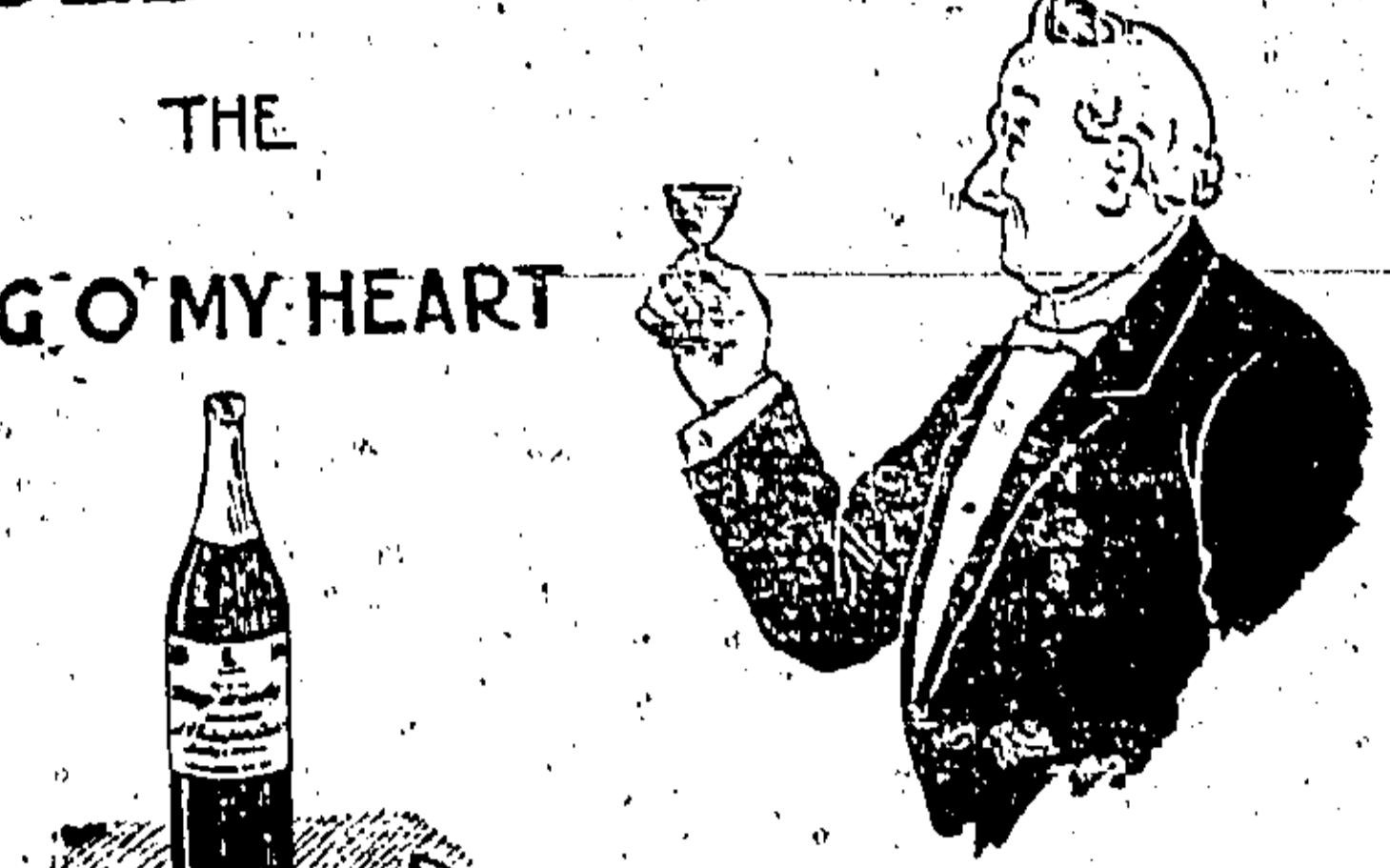
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THE DIARY.

MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW.

6.30 p.m.—Police Reserve Promenade  
Concert in Botanical Gardens.

General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, Sept. 26.—

Queen of Norway's birthday (Princess)

Madame Charlotte) 1869.

TUESDAY, Sept. 28.—

Settlement Day: R. K. Stock Exchange

11 a.m.—Auction of Furniture, Carpets,

Curtains etc. at Messrs. Hughes and

Hought's.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 29.—

Michaelmas Day.

11 a.m.—Auction of Household Furniture at 1, Torres Building, Kowloon

a great expeditionary force, which, though it has done very fine work, has not yet succeeded in accomplishing decisive results.

The offers to Bulgaria so long delayed were at last made and, as a result, it was confidently anticipated weeks ago that they would adopt an attitude of "armed neutrality" on behalf of the Entente Powers. The latest news to hand, however, seems to make this by no means certain and it is clear that the Bulgaria-Serbian ruse has been inoperable. Bulgaria has announced that she is about to mobilise, but simultaneously with that announcement comes the statement that she has entered into what she hopes will prove an advantageous stroke of business for herself, namely, a convention with Turkey by which she secures important railway concessions at a point at which Bulgaria has long coveted a footing. Roumania still remains as the sphinx, and all that can be said of her is that she is determined to preserve her neutrality as strongly against the Entente and the Turks as against the Entente Allies. The Balkan situation is at present, as it ever was, full of perplexities and time alone and the course of events will really determine what this hotbed of rancour known as the Balkan States are likely to do.

## SATURDAY'S POLICE CONCERT.

The programme for the second promenade concert, under the auspices of the Hongkong Police Reserve, to be given next Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Public Gardens, under the distinguished patronage of H.E. the Governor, is as follows:—

Part 1.  
Ma ch... "Stars and Stripes" ... Sousa  
Band of the 18th Infantry.  
Selection... "The Arcadians" ... Monckton  
Band of the 18th Infantry.  
Baritone Solo... "The Yachtsman's Wedding" ... Prince Pontifex  
Mr H. L. Jones  
Overture... "La Caisse d'Epargne" ... Harmon  
Orchestra of the Hongkong Police Reserve.  
Selection... "The Mikado" ... Sullivan  
Band of the 18th Infantry.  
Value... "Nights of gladness" ... Charles  
Band of the 18th Infantry.  
Selection... "Bohemian Girl" ... Balfe  
Orchestra of the Hongkong Police Reserve.  
Soprano Solo... (With Violin Obligato).  
... Selected  
Mrs Villiers Smyth.

Part 2.

Selection... Our Miss Gibbs ... Monckton  
Band of the 18th Infantry.Morscau... "The Star of England" ... Farrell  
Band of the 18th Infantry.

Valso... "Always Gay" ... Joyce

Orchestra of the Hongkong Police Reserve.

Soprano &amp; Baritone Duet.

"Night of Star, and Night of Love" ...  
(Barcarolle from "Les Contes d'Hoffmann") ... Offenbach

Mrs Villiers Smyth &amp; Mr H. L. Jones.

Value... "The Pink Lady" ... Caryl

Hand of the 18th Infantry.

(a) Sketch... "La Faim" ... Indier.

(b) Intermezzo... "In a Red" ... Gaston.

Orchestra of the Hongkong Police Reserve.

Selection... "Two Step" ...  
The Piping  
man's Holiday  
day... Ewing

Band of the 18th Infantry.

March... "Yankee Grit" ... Holzman.

God Save The King.

Band of the 18th Infantry under Band-

master Foulds.

Orchestra of the Hongkong Police Reserve under Conductor Gonzales, H.K.P.R.

Accompanist P. C. George Grimaldi, H.K.P.R.

Decorations and Illuminations in charge of Sergeant F. A. V. Ribeiro, H.K.P.R.

The Band of the 18th Infantry attend by kind permission of Major Nicholson, and Officers of the Regiment.

The will be a late train, if necessary, after the Concert.

Decrease Due to the War.

The Superintendent of Imports and Ex-

ports in his report for the year 1914, states

that the revenue collected from liquor

and licensed warehouses for 1914 was

\$10,355,89 as compared with \$7,29,340.00

in 1913. The decrease is almost entirely

due to the general situation attendant on

the war, as shown by a comparison of the revenue for the respective half-years, given below:—

In HALF-YEAR 1913 1914

Duties, European

Liquors... \$121,349.64 \$112,316.23

Duties, Chinese

Liquors... 845,25 823,118.16

Licensed Ware-

house Fees... 7,000.00 6,700.00

Licensed Ware-

house Overtime

Fees... 34.00 34.00

Total... \$334,348.39 \$334,218.39

2nd HALF-YEAR

Duties, European

Liquors... \$133,010.96 \$107,715.43

Duties, Chinese

Liquors... 241,899.93 204,988.06

Licensed Ware-

house Fees... 20.83 —

Licensed Ware-

house Overtime

Fees... 60.00 34.00

Total... \$374,991.71 \$312,737.60

Total... \$229,342.81 \$256,956.89

THE LATE GENERAL NOGI.

The name of the late General Count

Nogi's family will, it is reported, be re-

moved after September 18 from the list

of peers registered in the Imperial Japanese

Household Department. The autho-

rity state that as the late General did

not wish anyone to succeed to his title

after his death, the Nogi family had, as

it has been only, nominally in the peerage

list. According to law, however, the heir

of a peer forfeits the right of inheritance

when he fails to register his name within

a period of three years after his acquiri-

ment of such right. On September 18

the specified period will expire, and from

that date the Nogi family will be re-

garded as extinct in name and in fact,

as the late Count wished.

D. S. — B. S.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. J. R. Peel Grant left by the

P. &amp; O. s.s. "Nasir" to-day.

The date fixed for Final Gymkhana

has been altered to Saturday Nov. 13th.

The case in which three Chinese are

charged with piracy has been remanded

till Monday.

A young Chinese was sentenced to

six weeks' hard labour at the Police Court

this morning for house-breaking.

The Bishop of Victoria will spend

next Sunday at Macao and conduct Divine

service at 11 a.m. in the British Church.

Mr. Frank, Assistant Superintendent

of the Gendarmerie, was fined \$10 at the Police

Court this morning for allowing two dogs

to be out unmuzzled.

Capt. Halliday yesterday had stolen

from his room at Lyceum Barracks a

leather case containing six gilt star badges of

rank, a pair of gold links and tings, valued

at \$30.

The Christian Science lecture which

was to have been given at the Public Hall

this afternoon has been abandoned, the

sailing of the boat on which the lecturer

leaves for Shanghai having been advanced

a day.

A Chinese sailor at the Hongkong

Club, named Matting, died suddenly on

the second floor of the club last night,

apparently as the result of bursting of

a blood-vessel. The body has been re-

moved to the public mortuary.

Small thefts reported include a gold

ocket, rings and \$2 in money, total value

\$84, from the room of O Shu San at

Sampan Street; and gold finger rings and

money to the value of \$11 from the quarters

of a Chinese amateur at 41 Robinson Road.

The body of a boatman named Chan

Kwai, who was drowned through over-

balancing himself and falling when his

cargo boat, 879, was alongside the s.s.

"Haiphong." The body was recovered by

the public mortuary. The body was recovered by

the pilot, who was recovered by the

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## SHIPPING

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL  
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on or about the DATES named:-

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL	REMARKS
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	Malta	5 p.m.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	Capt. C. C. TALBOT	26th Sept.	Passage.
London via U.S.A. Ports (NORE & CAL)	Capt. D. ASHUR	7th Oct.	About Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, NOVAKA & YOKOHAMA	Capt. H. R. BIRKINBROOK, R.N.R.	9th Oct.	About Freight and Passage.

Subject to immediate alteration without Notice.

All the above steamers are fitted with Wireless Telegraphy.

E. A. HEWITT, Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co., Office.

## OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

REGULAR SERVICE, PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.  
(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

## THE AMERICAN LINE TO TACOMA AND SEATTLE

In connection with THE CHICAGO MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY  
FOR VICTORIA & TACOMA VIA KEEELING, SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOAKI AND YOKOHAMA.

S.S. "TACOMA MARU" Capt. T. Hamada Friday, 8th Oct., at 3 p.m.  
S.S. "MANILA MARU" Capt. Tuesday, 12th Oct., at 3 p.m.  
These Newly-Built Steamers of American Line have fair speed and are fitted with the Wireless Apparatus. Been adapted rooms for carrying Silk, Treasure and Parcels.

FOR BOMBAY via SINGAPORE, PORT SWETTENHAM, PENANG AND COLOMBO.

S.S. "Luzon MARU" Capt. T. Miyata Thursday, 30th Sept. at 7 a.m.  
FOR TAMSUI AND KEMUNG via SWATOW AND AMOY.S.S. "KAIJO MARU" Capt. Murakami Sunday, 26th Sept., at Noon.  
S.S. "DALIN MARU" Capt. S. Saito

FOR TAKOW, AND ANPING via SWATOW AND AMOY.

S.S. "SOSHU MARU" Capt. A. Kobayashi Wednesday, 29th Sept., at 10 a.m.

FOR HAIKHONG via PAKHOL

Steamer Captain Leave  
"DAIGI MARU" Capt. T. Konishi Tuesday, 28th Sept., at 10 a.m.  
"KEIGO MARU" Capt. Inoue

These Steamers of Coast and Forces Line have excellent accommodation for first class passengers and are fitted with Electric Light and Fans. These Steamers will arrive at and depart from the Soon Yip Wharf under the Harbour Office.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, APPLY TO—

H. YAMAGUCHI, Manager,  
Second Floor No. 1, Queen's Building.

## THE EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO. LIMITED.

## MAIL SERVICE TO AUSTRALIA, via MANILA.

## MAIL SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION)

STEAMERS	ARRIVE HONGKONG FROM AUSTRALIA	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA
EMPIRE	21st September, 13th Oct., 2nd Nov., 22nd Nov.	at 11 a.m. at 11 a.m. at 11 a.m.
EASTERN	21st October.	at 11 a.m.
ALDERHAM & ST. ALBANS	22nd October.	at 11 a.m.

THE above Steamers are fitted with Refrigerating Machinery, ensuring a plentiful supply of Ice, Fresh Provisions, etc., and are lighted throughout with Electricity. State-Rooms have Electric Fans. A duly qualified Doctor and Stewardess are carried. For further particulars apply to

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## NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS

TAKING Cargos on through Bills of Lading to SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS with transhipment at CALCUTTA, in conjunction with the INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO. LTD.

## AND APCAR LINE.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.

Steamer from Hongkong	On or about	Connecting at Calcutta with	on or about
"LAISANG"	25th Sept.	"UMKUZI"	End of Oct.

For Freight and further particulars apply to

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## HONGKONG—NEW YORK

REGULAR SAILINGS via PORTS and SUEZ CANAL.  
(With liberty to call at the Malabar Coast.)

FOR NEW YORK via SUEZ CANAL.

S.S. PATHAN On or about 27th September.

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## THE NANYO YUSEN KAISHA

## SOUTH SEA MAIL S. S. CO.

Regular Service of Steamers between Japan, Hongkong, Singapore, Batavia, Samarang and Sourabaya.

S.S. BIJUN MARU For Batavia, Charbon, Samarang, Sourabaya, Macassar &amp; Balikpapan. 2nd Oct.

S.S. BORNEO MARU For Moji, Kobe &amp; Yokohama. 6th Oct.

S.S. BANRI MARU For Batavia, Charbon, Samarang, Sourabaya, Macassar &amp; Balikpapan. 23rd Oct.

S.S. HOKUTO MARU For Moji, Kobe &amp; Yokohama. 26th Oct.

For Freight or Passage apply to

DODWELL &amp; CO. LTD. Agents.

## SHIPPING

## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

## SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

FOR STEAMERS TO SAIL

SHANGHAI, LUCHEW, Sept. 26, Daylight.

TSINGTAU &amp; NEWWORWANG, FALING, Sept. 28, Daylight.

WEIHAIWEI, CHERQO &amp; TIENTHIN, HUICHOW, Sept. 28, at 4 p.m.

MANILA, CEBU &amp; ILOILO, CHINHU, Sept. 28, at 4 p.m.

SHANGHAI, YINGCHOW, Sept. 28, at 10 a.m.

HIOHOW, PACHOI &amp; HAIPHONG, SUNGKING, Sept. 30, at 4 p.m.

SHANGHAI, CHINAN, Sept. 30, at 4 p.m.

MANILA, CEBU &amp; ILOILO, TIAN, Oct. 5, at 4 p.m.

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S.S. "LINTAN" and S.S. "SANUL."

CHINA LINE. Twin Screw Steamers "Chinhua", "Taiming", &amp; "Tsan".

Excellent Saloon accommodation amidships. Electric Fans fitted. Extra state-rooms on deck, aft on "Taming" and "Tsan".

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S.S. "Anhui", "Chenan", "Liangchow", "Luchu", "Ningchow" and "Sinkiang",

with excellent accommodation. Electric Light and Fans in Saloon and State-rooms, maintaining a regular schedule service between Canton, Hongkong and Shanghai; leaving Hongkong for Shanghai direct every Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday, taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Tanguang and Northern China Ports. Passengers are landed in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of transhipment at Woosung.

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## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

## PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION)

FOR STEAMERS TO SAIL

WEIHAIWEI &amp; TIENTHIN, CHIPING, SATURDAY, Sept. 25, Daylight.

SINGAPORE, PENANG &amp; LAISANG, SATURDAY, Sept. 25, at 3 p.m.

CALCUTTA, LOONGSANG, SATURDAY, Sept. 25, at 3 p.m.

MANILA, SWATOW, FOOCHOW &amp; NINGPO, KWONGSANG, SUNDAY, Sept. 26, Daylight.

KUHSIANG, TUESDAY, Sept. 28, Daylight.

SINGAPORE &amp; SOUTH BAY, FAI SANG, TUESDAY, Sept. 28, at 3 p.m.

HIOHOW &amp; HAIPHONG, LOA SANG, THURSDAY, Sept. 30, Daylight.

WIA GSANG, FRIDAY, Oct. 1, Daylight.

YULSANG, SATURDAY, Oct. 2, at 3 p.m.

MANILA.

## RETURN TO JAPAN TO JAPAN.

THE steamer "Kutong", "Liang" &amp; "Kedong" leaves about every 3 weeks

generally call at Shanghai en route for Japan returning via Kobe (Inland Sea) and

generally 22 days. This service is supplemented by the

Mail to Hongkong. Time occupied 22 days.

These services are available for Yokohama (when sufficient

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## PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

## FOR MARSEILLES &amp; LONDON,

TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, &amp;c.

THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

Connecting Steamer	Steamer to COLOMBO	Leave SHANGHAI	Leave HONG-KONG	Connecting Steamer from COLOMBO	Leave MARSEILLES	Leave LONDON	Due at London
YOKOHAMA							
p.m.	about	about					
Sept. 26	NANKEIN	Sept. 19	Sept. 24	ARABIA	Oct. 23	Oct. 30	
	NORE	Oct. 2	Oct. 7	MOLDAVIA	Nov. 4	Nov. 13	
	MALTA	Oct. 17	Oct. 22	CHYBER	Nov. 20	Nov. 27	
	NOVARA	Oct. 31	Nov. 5	MEDINA	Dec. 4	Dec. 11	
Nov. 8	NELLORE	Nov. 15	Nov. 20	MONGOLIA	Dec. 18	Dec. 25	
Dec. 6	SARDINIA	Nov. 29	Dec. 3	SALWA	Jan. 1	Jan. 8	1916
	NANKIN	Dec. 13	Dec. 18	MOOLTAN	Jan. 15	Jan. 22	

Steamers proceed via Bombay.

Passenger change Steamers at COLOMBO. Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of booking.

## FARES TO LONDON AND MARSEILLES

LONDON		MARESILLES	
1st SALOON "A"	Accommodation SINGLE 274	RETURN 2111	
" " "B"	" 268	2102	
2nd SALOON "A"	" 272	2106	
" " "B"	" 248	2074	
1st SALOON "A"	Accommodation SINGLE 250	RETURN 2103	
" " "B"	" 250	2092	
2nd SALOON "A"	" 250	2073	
" " "B"	" 246	2054	
		239	

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE MAIL STEAMERS INTERMEDIATE (NON-TRANSIT) STEAMERS

WILL LEAVE FOR

## LONDON

CARRYING 1st AND 2nd SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES. PROPOSED SAILINGS:

STEAMER	Leave YOKOHAMA	Leave SHANGHAI	Leave HONG-KONG	Leave S'PORE	Due at MARESILLES	Due at London
	about	about	about	about	about	about
NORE	Sept. 26	Oct. 3	Oct. 8	Oct. 14	Nov. 9	Nov. 19
NAGOYA	Nov. 8	Nov. 18	Nov. 24	Nov. 30	Dec. 30	Jan. 7
NAMUR	Dec. 6	Dec. 16	Dec. 22	Dec. 28	Jan. 27	Feb. 3
KASHMIR	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Jan. 5	Jan. 11	Feb. 10	Feb. 17

These Steamers call also at PORT SWETTENHAM, PENANG, and COLOMBO.

FARES TO LONDON

1st SALOON £58 SINGLES: £27 RETURN.

2nd " £24 " £63

FARES TO MARESILLES:

1st Saloon £54 Single.

2nd Saloon £40 "

All Passenger Steamers are fitted with the Marconi System of Wireless Telegraphy.

Owing to the War in Europe Steamers and Sailing dates are liable to be cancelled or altered without notice.

For further particulars apply to

E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent.

## INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

Cargo carried on through Bills of Lading from HONGKONG to BEIRAS, DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN (Natal), EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH and CAPE TOWN with transhipment at COLOMBO to Steamers of the INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

## PROPOSED SAILING

Connecting with FROM COLOMBO:

24th September. S.S. "KATHIWAR" 17th October.

## EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION FOR 1st AND 2nd CLASS PASSENGERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS.

S.S. "SALAMIS" from Hongkong 1st October at Noon.

First Class Accommodation for Passengers, fitted with Wireless Telegraphy.

For Rates of Freight and passage apply to

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## JAPAN, CHINA AND STRAITS

TO UNITED KINGDOM &amp; CONTINENT.

For STEAMERS SAIL.

LONDON &amp; GLASGOW "CITY OF HANKOW" On 8th October.

Subject to change without notice.

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NAME OF DOCK OR SLIP	LENGTH	ENTRANCE	DEPTH DRY	RISE OF TIDE	SPINDS	NEATS
KOWLOON						
No. 1 Dock, Kowloon	700	" top bottom	"	"		
No. 2 Dock, Kowloon	871	" 10' "	" 10'	" 10'		
No. 3 Dock, Kowloon	874	" 10' "	" 10'	" 10'		
Patent Slip, No. 1, Kowloon	540	" 10' "	" 10'	" 10'		
TAIKOKTSUI						
Commemorative Dock	400	" 10'	" 10'	" 10'		
AKERDEN						
Hoppe Dock	450	" 10' "	" 10'	" 10'		
Lantern Dock	450	" 10' "	" 10'	" 10'		

Please Address Enquiries to the Chief Manager,  
R. M. DYER, B.Sc., M.I.M.A., Kowloon Dock, Hongkong.

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## STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Mails.

The P. & G. S. N. Co.'s s.s. *Mulca* left Singapore for this port on the 21st September, a.m., with the outward English Mails, and is due here on the 25th September, at about noon.The P. M. S. S. Co.'s a.s. *Mongolia* will leave Manila on Monday, the 27th September, and is due to arrive at this port on Wednesday morning, the 29th September.

## Other Vessels.

The *Princess a.s. Phuwa* left Saigon on the 25th September for this port, and is expected to arrive here on or about the 26th September.The Royal Mail S. P. Co.'s a.s. *Cornwall* left London on the 11th August, due here on the 26th Sept.The a.s. *Mutra* left Calcutta on the 18th September, a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 1st October.The E. & A. a.s. *Empire* from Australia left Manila for this port on the 23rd September, at 1 a.m., and may be expected to arrive here on Saturday, the 26th September, at daylight.The C. P. R. Co.'s a.s. *Montrose* left Yokohama at 2 p.m. on the 21st Sept.

ROYAL OBSERVATORY.

## HONGKONG DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

SEPTEMBER 24, 1915—A.M.

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